

Exhibit D

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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
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DOUGLAS and ROSALYN BARDEN

Plaintiff(s),

v.

BRENNTAG NORTH AMERICA et al.

Defendants.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
CIVIL DIVISION, MIDDLESEX
COUNTY VICINAGE
DOCKET NUMBER: MID L-1809-17AS

*Civil Action***ORDER TO CONSOLIDATE**

DAVID CHARLES ETHERIDGE and
DARLENE PASTORE ETHERIDGE

Plaintiff(s),

v.

BRENNTAG NORTH AMERICA et al.

Defendants.

DOCKET NUMBER: MID L-0932-17AS

D'ANGELA MCNEILL-GEORGE,

Plaintiff(s),

v.

BRENNTAG NORTH AMERICA et al.

DOCKET NUMBER: MID L-7049-16AS

WILLIAM and ELIZABETH RONNING

Plaintiff(s),

v.

BRENNTAG NORTH AMERICA et al.

DOCKET NUMBER MID L-6040-17AS

WHEREAS, the above-captioned matters involve plaintiffs who have been diagnosed with peritoneal mesothelioma; and,

WHEREAS, these plaintiffs all allege that they utilized Johnson & Johnson Baby Powder and that such powder, was comprised of talc supplied, at times, by Imerys Talc America and/or its predecessors/successors, and/or Windsor Minerals; and,

WHEREAS, these plaintiffs, further allege that the source talc and the cosmetic talcum powder was contaminated with asbestos; and,

WHEREAS, these plaintiffs further allege that Johnson & Johnson Baby Powder, with talc supplied by Imerys Talc America and/or its predecessors/successors, and/or Windsor Minerals was a substantial contributing factor in the development of their mesothelioma; and

WHEREAS, Middlesex MCL Asbestos historically accommodates living mesothelioma plaintiffs on an expedited trial track; and,

WHEREAS, all of these matters have been listed as “trial ready” on multiple occasions; and,

WHEREAS, this court has historically *sua sponte* consolidated cases involving a common question of law or fact arising out of the same transactions or series of transactions in accordance with R. 4:38-1 and R. 4:38A;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, on this 1st day of February, 2019:

1. These matters are consolidated for the compensatory phase of trial pursuant to R. 4:38-1 and R. 4:38A.
2. A pre-trial conference is scheduled for March 8, 2019 at 10:00 a.m., in Courtroom 203.



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